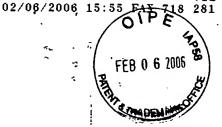
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Souza et al.

Application No.

10/519,782

Filed (35 U.S.C. § 363)

July 1, 2003 (as PCT/US2003/020633)

For

NIGHTLIGHT, LED POWER SUPPLY CIRCUIT, AND

COMBINATION THEREOF

This application is the U.S. national stage of International Application PCT/US2003/020633 designating the United States and filed July 1, 2003

## STATEMENT BY RONNIE PARSOLANO UNDER MPEP § 409.03(d) IN SUPPORT OF PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a)

## I, RONNIE PARSOLANO, state as follows:

- (1) I am employed by Leviton Manufacturing Company, Inc., 59-25 Little Neck Parkway, Little Neck, New York 11362. My title is Administrative Assistant - Engineering.
- (2) As part of my duties, on August 11, 2005 I sent application papers, including Declaration and Power of Attorney forms, to inventors MICHAEL SOUZA and JOHN FERREIRA, with a cover letter to each inventor requesting his signature. Copies of the letters to inventors SOUZA and FERREIRA appear as Exhibits A and B respectively.
- (3) Having received no written response from inventor MICHAEL SOUZA, I placed a telephone call to him on September 15, 2005 from Leviton Manufacturing Company. I spoke with MICHAEL SOUZA regarding the application papers; he expressly refused to sign the application papers.

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- (4) Having received no written response from inventor JOHN FERREIRA, I placed a telephone call to him on September 15, 2005 from Leviton Manufacturing Company. I spoke with JOHN FERREIRA regarding the application papers; he expressly refused to sign the application papers.
- (5) After the above-described telephone conversations, I noted in the application file that I had called inventors SOUZA and FERREIRA on September 15, 2005 and that each of them had refused to sign the application papers. A copy of this note appears as Exhibit C.

This statement is made under MPEP § 409.03(d)(II) in support of a Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) in the above-identified application. I have firsthand knowledge of all the facts recited above.

Respectfully submitted,

RONNIE PARSOLANC

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Mr. Michael Souza 486 Chicago Street Fall River, MA 02721

Re:

U.S. Patent Application

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COMBINATION THEREOF

Dear Mr. Souza:

Please sign where indicated and have notarized the enclosed Assignment also sign the enclosed Declaration where indicated and return both to my attention in the enclosed stamped solf-addressed envelope.

We thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

Ronnie Parsolano Administrative Assistant

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August 11, 2005

Mr. John Ferreira 332 State Avenue Fall River, MA 02724

Re: U.S. Patent Application

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Dear Mr. Ferreira:

Please sign where indicated and have notarized the enclosed Assignment also sign the enclosed Declaration where indicated and return both to my attention in the enclosed stamped self-addressed envelope.

We thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

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